

# **Annual Awards Ceremony**

**May 5, 2017**



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**VIRGINIA INSTITUTE OF MARINE SCIENCE**

# **Years of Service Awards**

## **5 Years**

Bobbie S. Dorety  
Mary L. Kellogg  
Sally B. Lawrence  
Elizabeth B. MacAleese  
Matthew E. Partain  
Lauren E. Shirley  
Ping Wang

## **10 Years**

Dustin K. Burroughs  
Jennifer C. Hay  
Voight C. Hogge  
David B. Parrish  
Debbrah A. Pelata  
Judy L. Polentz  
Sidne M. Pressey  
Karen S. Sisler

## **15 Years**

Alan J. Birch  
Joseph S. Cope  
Courtney K. Harris  
Julie D. Herman  
Ashleigh R. Magee  
David L. Malmquist  
Susan R. Maples  
John P. Richardson  
Deborah K. Steinberg  
Donna Bilkovic Stewart

## **20 Years**

Frendessa A. Berry  
Rita K. Crockett  
Cynthia H. Hornsby  
Paige G. Ross  
Valerie D. Woodard

## **25 Years**

Jennifer B. Latour  
James E. Perry

## **30 Years**

Denise E. Berry  
Romuald N. Lipcius  
Henry S. Moon  
Walter G. Slaughter, Jr.  
Lyle M. Varnell

## **35 Years**

Linda C. Schaffner  
Carol K. Tomlinson

## **40 Years**

Cynthia D. Harris

# **Program**

*Welcome and Opening Remarks*

*Recognition of New Employees*

*Recognition of Volunteers*

*Robert M. Freeman Volunteer of the Year Award*

*Presentation of Best Student Papers*

*Recognition of VIMS Student Fellowship Recipients*

*Recognition of Student, Staff and Faculty Accomplishments*

*The John M. and Marilyn Zeigler Student  
Achievement Award*

*Presentation of the 2016 Years of Service  
Certificates and Awards*

*Presentation of the 2016 Special Staff Awards:  
Facilities/Safety/Trades  
Technical Support  
Administrative Support*

*The Professionals and Professional Faculty  
Researcher Award*

*Outstanding Faculty Teaching Award*



# Recognition of Student Fellowships

## 2016 VIMS Foundation Fellowship Recipients

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| Lisa Ailloud           | Fisheries Science, Ph.D. - SunTrust Fellowship<br>(Advisor: John Hoenig)   |
| Taylor Armstrong       | Aquatic Health Sciences, M.S. - Olsson Family Fellowship<br>(Advisor: Juliette Smith)                                |
| Maria Arroyo           | Physical Sciences, M.S. - VIMS Council Fellowship<br>(Advisor: Elizabeth Shadwick)                                   |
| Jennifer Beckensteiner | Fisheries Science, Ph.D. - Tidewater Oyster Gardeners Association Fellowship (Advisors: David Kaplan; Andrew Scheld) |
| Katherine Bemis        | Fisheries Science, M.S. - Nancy S. and Henry George Fellowship<br>(Advisor: Eric Hilton)                             |
| Lydia Bienlien         | Aquatic Health Sciences, Ph.D. - Grey Allison & H. Renwick Dunlap Fellowship (Advisor: Ryan Carnegie)                |
| Daniel Coleman         | Physical Sciences, M.S. - Zeigler Fellowship (Advisor: Matthew Kirwan)   |
| John Conroy            | Biological Sciences, M.S. - Harry & Barbara Hager Fellowship<br>(Advisor: Deborah Steinberg)                         |
| Daniel Crear           | Fisheries Science, Ph.D. - Edward Holland Fellowship<br>(Advisor: Kevin Weng)  |
| Fei Da                 | Biological Sciences, M.S. - H. Booker Andrews, Jr. Fellowship<br>(Advisor: Marjorie Friedrichs)                      |
| Samantha Fortin        | Biological Sciences, M.S. - H. Booker Andrews, Jr. Fellowship<br>(Advisor: Bongkeun Song)                            |
| Isaac Irby             | Biological Sciences, Ph.D. - Rogers Graduate Student Fellowship<br>(Advisor: Marjorie Friedrichs)                    |
| Andrew Johnson         | Biological Sciences, Ph.D. - Beazley Fellowship<br>(Advisors: Robert Orth; Kenneth Moore)                            |
| Andrew Johnson         | Biological Sciences, Ph.D. - Ferguson Enterprises Fellowship<br>(Advisors: Robert Orth; Kenneth Moore)               |
| Daniel Kaufman         | Biological Sciences, Ph.D. - Olsson Family Fellowship<br>(Advisor: Marjorie Friedrichs)                              |
| Nadya Mamoozadeh       | Fisheries Science, Ph.D. - Norfolk Southern Fellowship<br>(Advisors: John Graves; Jan McDowell)                      |
| Benjamin Marcek        | Fisheries Science, Ph.D. - Kathleen & Robert Roper Fellowship<br>(Advisor: Mary Fabrizio Wilde)                      |
| Vaskar Nepal KC        | Fisheries Science, Ph.D. - Strickland Family Fellowship<br>(Advisor: Mary Fabrizio Wilde)                            |
| Karinna Nunez          | Biological Sciences, Ph.D. - Rouse-Bottom Foundation Fellowship<br>(Advisor: Carlton Hershner)                       |

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| Sarah Pease         | Aquatic Health Sciences, Ph.D. - H. Booker Andrews, Jr. Fellowship<br>(Advisor: Juliette Smith)                   |
| Cassidy Peterson    | Fisheries Science, Ph.D. - Kathleen & Robert Roper Fellowship<br>(Advisor: Robert Latour)                         |
| Bianca Santos       | Fisheries Science, M.S. - Norfolk Southern Fellowship<br>(Advisor: David Kaplan)                                  |
| Gail Schwieterman   | Fisheries Science, M.S. - Juliette B. & Carroll W. Owens, Sr. Fellowship<br>(Advisor: Richard Brill)              |
| Justin Shawler      | Physical Sciences, M.S. - Harry & Barbara Hager Fellowship<br>(Advisor: Christopher Hein)                         |
| Jingwei Song        | Fisheries Science, M.S. - SunTrust Fellowship (Advisor: Jan McDowell)   |
| Jessica Turner      | Physical Sciences, Ph.D. - MacWhorter Family Fellowship<br>(Advisor: Carl Friedrichs)                             |
| Haixing Daniel Wang | Physical Sciences, Ph.D. - Zeigler Fellowship (Advisor: Donglai Gong)   |
| Haixing Daniel Wang | Physical Sciences, Ph.D. - Craig L. Smith Memorial Educational<br>Scholarship (Advisor: Donglai Gong)             |
| Zoemma Warshafsky   | Aquatic Health Sciences, M.S. - Mary Hedrick Causey Memorial<br>Fellowship (Advisor: Andrew Wargo; Robert Latour) |
| Fei Ye              | Physical Sciences, Ph.D. - R. Gordon & Catherine B. Smith Fellowship<br>(Advisors: Harry Wang; Joseph Zhang)      |

### **Kelley Watson Fellowship**

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| Lauren Huey      | Aquatic Health Sciences, M.S. (Advisor: Ryan Carnegie) |
| Bethany Williams | Biological Sciences, M.S. (Advisor: David Johnson)     |

### **William J. Hargis, Jr. Fellowship**

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| Daniel Coleman    | Physical Sciences, M.S. (Advisor: Matthew Kirwan) |
| Gail Schwieterman | Fisheries Science, M.S. (Advisor: Richard Brill)  |

### **Dean's Fellowships**

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| Patricia Thibodeau | Biological Sciences, Ph.D. (Advisor: Deborah Steinberg)                      |
| Julia Moriarty     | Physical Sciences, Ph.D.<br>(Advisors: Courtney Harris; Marjorie Friedrichs) |
| Mark Stratton      | Fisheries Science, Ph.D. (Advisor: Robert Latour)                            |

### **Matthew Fontaine Maury Fellowship**

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| William Goldsmith | Fisheries Science, Ph.D. (Advisors: John Graves; Andrew Scheld) |
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**Luncheon served in Chesapeake Bay Hall  
immediately following ceremony.**

**Picnic tables will be set-up in  
the courtyard of CBH.**

**(Please bring a chair or blanket, if you like.)**